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FM AMEMBASSY QUITO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2373

INFO AMCONSUL GUAYAQUIL

AMEMBASSY CARACAS

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SUBJ: OPRED - JUSTICE/DEA REQUEST FOR INCREASED OVERSEAS STAFFING

REF: A. QUITO 5581; B. QUITO 5640; C. STATE 191556

1. EXPLANATION CONTAINED PARA 2 (REF C) LEAVES NO UNANSWERED QUESTIONS.

2. EMBASSY DOES, HOWEVER, HAVE SOME ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO OFFER IN REGARD TO DISTRIBUTION OF DEA OFFICER PERSONNEL WITHIN ECUADOR.

3. EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT OF THE SIX OFFICER COUNTRY-WIDE DEA COMPLIMENT ENVISAGED, THREE SPECIAL AGENTS SHOULD BE STATIONED IN GUAYAQUIL (INSTEAD OF TWO AS NOW PLANNED) AND TWO SPECIAL AGENTS (INSTEAD OF THREE) PLUS THE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER SHOULD BE ASSIGNED TO QUITO. OUR REASONING IS THAT GUAYAQUIL IS THE CENTER OF MORE NARCOTICS ACTIVITY AND GUAYAS POLICE WORK FAIRLY INDEPENDENTLY FROM CENTRAL POLICE AUTHORITY IN QUITO. THERE IS THEREFORE NEED FOR LARGER NUMBER OF SA'S IN GUAYAQUIL THAN IN QUITO.

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4. TO EASE TRANSITION, EMBASSY PROPOSES THAT, WHEN SA

KIMBALL IS TRANSFERRED FROM QUITO AT END OF HIS TOUR,
HIS REPLACEMENT BE ASSIGNED TO GUAYAQUIL.

5. SUBSTANCE OF THIS MESSAGE HAS CONCURRENCE OF CONGEN
GUAYAQUIL AND SENIOR DEA REPS IN QUITO AND GUAYAQUIL.
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